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Madam/Sir:

**COMMUNICATION FOR A PETITION FOR
CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b)**

This communication is being submitted concurrently with a Petition for Correction of Inventorship of the pending claims in the subject application under 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b).

The correction of inventorship is necessitated by Applicants' election of claims in response to a restriction requirement. To date, none of the pending claims are allowed.

There is no due date for submission of this communication or the Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b). Applicants attach a check for the amount of \$130 to cover the fee for filing the Petition. Accordingly, this Petition is being timely filed.

*Approved
on 2/11/04*